



City of Mountain View

Agenda

Visual Arts Committee

Wednesday, November 12, 2025

6:00 PM

Atrium Conference Room and Video Conference, 500
Castro St., Mountain View, CA 94041

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1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL

Cliff Bryant, Joe Medwid, Lacy Rathbun, Stephanie Spaid, Tootoo Thomson, Vice Chair Regina Sakols, Chair Susi Merhar

3. APPROVE MINUTES

Approve the Visual Arts Committee meeting minutes of June 11, 2025.

Minutes Approval for June 11, 2025

Attachments: [Minutes - June 11, 2025](#)

4. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC

This portion of the meeting is reserved for persons wishing to address the Committee on any matter not on the agenda. Speakers are limited to three minutes. State law prohibits the Committee from acting on non-agenda items.

5. UPCOMING AGENDA TOPICS

6. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

6.1 Capital Improvement Program Public Art Project Updates

Staff to provide updates on various Capital Improvement Program Projects.

6.2 Update and Discussion on Public Art Strategy Efforts

Attachments: [Memo PublicArtStrategyUpdate](#)
[ATT 1 City Council Policy K05 Public Art](#)
[ATT 2 VAC Draft Public Art Strategy](#)
[ATT 3 Public Art Strategy Community Workshop Presentation](#)
[ATT 4 VAC October 8 Presentation](#)

Staff and consulting team, Art Builds Community, to provide update and seek feedback on elements of the Public Art Strategy.

6.3 Visual Arts, Downtown, Performing Arts Ad Hoc Subcommittee Update

Attachments: [Memorandum - VAC-DC-PAC Update](#)

Staff and VAC ad hoc subcommittee to provide an update on the VAC-DC-PAC subcommittee efforts.

7. NEW BUSINESS

7.1 Authorize 2025-26 Call for Artist Exhibitions

Attachments: [Memo Call for Artists 2026-27 CPA Exhibits](#)
[ATT 1 Draft Call for Artists MVCPA Exhibitions 2026-27](#)

VAC to discuss and authorize a Call for Artists for the rotating artist exhibitions at the Mountain View Center for Performing Arts.

7.2 2026 Calendar of Meetings

Attachments: [Memo 2026CalendarYear](#)

VAC to approve a 2026 meeting calendar.

8. COMMITTEE/STAFF COMMENTS, QUESTIONS, COMMITTEE REPORTS

No action will be taken on any questions raised by the Committee at this time.

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